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INTERESTING SESSION

Common Council and Board of Aldermen Discuss Proposed Ferry Line at Joint Meeting Last Night.

As an evidence showing the interest taken, the joint session of the city council and board of aldermen attracted quite an audience of business men to the city hall building last night who were attentive listeners to the proceedings.

President Smith called the council to order shortly after eight o'clock and after he had stated the object of the meeting in a brief speech, Councilman Bales was appointed to invite the board of aldermen to a joint session. Upon the arrival of the aldermen President Marbury took the chair and President Smith of the council presented the proposition of the Washington Steel and Ordnance Company, which is published in full on the second page.

As will be seen by a perusal of the document, the steel company proposes to furnish employment to men residing in this city. In speaking upon the subject Mr. Smith said that the matter was one which had been under discussion for two weeks or more and that he believed it worthy of their most serious consideration.

Mr. Edward A. Lycett, employment manager of the Steel Company, was present and was then invited to address the session which he did. He said his company had 2,395 men now on its payroll, 67 of whom lived in Alexandria, but that they desired to greatly increase the number. He said "We need Alexandria and we believe Alexandria needs us. What we ask is that you give our men permanent homes. We will give them the work. And we need your help to aid us in getting the men." He next gave details in regard to what the company proposed to do in the way of securing a proper steamer to be used as a ferryboat to ply between this city and Giesboro Point, by which the men can be transported to and from their work. He said that six men would be required to operate it, estimated that five tons of coal per day would be needed and that the total expenses of running it would amount to $60 per day, of which Alexandria is asked to pay one third $20, or a total of $500 per month, approximately, until the number of men carried reaches 500 and makes it self sustaining. It is proposed to make the fare five cents each way.

Mr. Lycett said that the Department of Labor officials in Washington would assist Alexandria in the effort to obtain the required number of men wanted, for which, by the way, a meeting will be held here next Tuesday night. Mr. Lycett stated that the 67 men now employed by his company from Alexandria are drawing at the rate of $45,000 a year in wages at present, and that the total payroll of his company is $2,500,000 per annum.

Brief speeches were made by Messrs. J. W. Bales, W. W. Ballenger and several of the members of the council in which they expressed themselves as being heartily in favor of the proposition. In order to bring the question before the house Mr. Smith made a motion that a committee of three be appointed to draft a resolution in favor of the proposition. It was carried and Mr. Smith and George H. Evans from the common council and W. W. Ballenger from the board of aldermen were named as such committee. A short recess was taken after which the resolution was presented and carried without a dissenting vote. The resolution recommended that three members of the common council and two from the board of aldermen be appointed to draft the necessary resolutions for which Aldermen Ballenger and Wilkins and Councilmen Howard W. Smith, Lawler and Bales were named.

This committee is to make its report to President Marbury of the board of aldermen after which a meeting of the aldermen will be called and the question acted upon. Three days later the common council will be called to take action on it.

Notice.

There will be a called meeting of Relief Hook and Ladder Company No. 1, Friday evening, August 31, 1917. By order of the President.

J. L. Peed, Sec.

207-2t.

PRAISE WILSON'S REPLY

American President's Note to Pope Benedict Hailed With Satisfaction In London.

London, August 30.—England was again moved to admiration of America and President Wilson today after reading the note to Pope Benedict. More than one newspaper hailed the American Executive as the new leader of the allied cause.

"At the end of three years of unspeakable strain and anxiety," declared the Morning Post, "It is an inestimable service to the allies to find such leadership as this—strong clear sighted, inflexible—inspiring new courage and faith, shaming the faint-hearted and silencing the perverse and disaffected."

The Chronicle pointed out that President Wilson had reminded the world that America was unfettered by alliances in "subjecting the Paris resolution of the allies to unqualified condemnation." (This was the resolution banding the allies to commercial reprisals against Germany after the war).

"The resounding proclamation which comes from the White House, the reality of right, and the reality of wrong and of the impossibility of reconciling them or shading them into one another by good-natured words," the Chronicle added, "might well have issued from the Vatican, the ancient repository of Christian verities."

"It is the answer of a practical stateman to the peace dreaming Vatican, and it may be to other courts as well," the Times summarized, adding that the note is couched in the same terms in which all other statesmen of allied powers "must reply to the peace note."

FORFEITED COLLATERAL.

Federal Authorities Ignored Notice From Police Department of Arrest of Alleged White Slaver.

E. A. Woodward, of Catlett, who, with a woman named Rose Weaver, was before the Police Court yesterday, is by this time back upon his own heath. He was held yesterday for the action of the federal authorities to answer the charge of violating the white slave law by bringing the woman from Washington to Alexandria for immoral purposes. The federal authorities were notified, but, as they took no steps in the matter, the man subsequently had the charge of indecent conduct alleged against him. He left $20 collateral for his appearance before the Police Court this morning, but failed to appear and answer the charge. The woman, however, was made to face the court. She was ordered to leave the city at once on pain of being sent to jail for ninety days on the charge of vagrancy.

FINN ARRESTED

Stranger Ordered to be Held for Ten Days For Investigation of His Case.

A man who gave his name as John Edenton was arrested yesterday on the charge of vagrancy. The stranger had been loitering on Duke street extended in the neighborhood of the overhead bridge, and the police had been asked to take him into custody. When brought before the court this morning Edenton said he was a native of Finland and was a tailor by trade. He, however, failed to give a satisfactory account of himself, and was disposed to act abruptly. While he was in the dock whisperings were heard which suggested that the prisoner might be a Germany spy. Justice Caton ordered that the man be held ten days in order that his case may be further investigated.

MORE WHISKY CAPTURED

Two Negroes, Each Carrying Eight Pints, Intercepted near Union Passenger Depot.

Officer Miller and Officer Beatty, of the prohibition force of the state, yesterday stopped Obie Dawkins and William Hood, both colored, on suspicion of transporting an unlawful quantity of liquor into Virginia. The two men were making their way toward the overhead bridge a short distance south of Union Station when stopped. The officers found sixteen pints of whisky upon the two men. They were brought before the Police Court this morning and held for the action of the grand jury.

Alexandria City and Suburbs

Mrs. W. P. Taylor, of Richmond, Va., is visiting her sister, Miss Marbury, 514 Prince street.

Mrs. J. Armistead Carter and son, Richard Welby Carter, are the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Dempsey, in south Fairfax street.

H. Noel Garner, corporation attorney, is rapidly convalescing from his recent operation for appendicitis at the Providence Hospital in Washington.

It is stated that the condition of Terence McGowan, who suffered a fracture of the nose and other injuries and contusions as the result of a fall on a stairway Tuesday afternoon, is considerably improved.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Susie Elizabeth Nichols, who died on Tuesday at her late home, 1800 Duke street, this city, was held this afternoon at one o'clock from the residence of her brother, Carroll Iden, at Delaplane, Fauquier county, Va.

Mr. Nelson Taylor Snyder, Jr., and Miss Lydia Kirk Hammond, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hammond, were married this morning by Rev. John C. Siler, of Shenandoah, W. Va., brother-in-law of the groom. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents in Rosemont.

Mrs. Rebecca Sherwood, about fifty years old, who lives on lower Prince street, either jumped or fell into the river off a dock between Prince and Duke streets about six o'clock yesterday afternoon. After being rescued from the river by Leo and Bowling and other men near the scene of the happening she was taken to the Alexandria Hospital.

Willard Roland Gaines, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gaines, who resided at 2509 Duke street until recently but who now live near Bailey's cross roads, Alexandria county, was sworn in as a midshipman at the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis Md., yesterday. Mr. Gaines had previously taken the examinations on an alternate's appointment, but, through vacancy, secured a principal appointment and was granted admission to the academy. He prepared during the past year for the entrance mental examinations which he stood in July, at Dowd's army and navy preparatory school in Washington.

Arrangements are being made by Alexandrians for a number of Labor Day parties, although, in general, the celebration of the holiday is expected to be more or less quiet. In the afternoon, however, the city will turn out en masse for the big Labor Day parade and to enjoy the program of exercises being arranged by Alexandria Council, No. 5, Order Fraternal Americans, and the streets along the route of the parade, as announced in Tuesday's Gazette, will be in a gala attire. The general committee, of which John H. Trimyer is chairman and James R. Mansfield, secretary, is working up final plans for the affair, which is expected to be one of the biggest of the kind ever staged in this section.

TO ACT REGARDING CAMPS

Dr. William F. Show, Social Hygiene Authority, to Speak at Meeting of State Committee Tomorrow.

Plans are being rapidly gotten into shape for the mass meeting to be held tomorrow evening at eight o'clock in the Young People's Building on south Washington street, as announced in yesterday's Gazette, under the auspices of the executive branch of the general state committee on camps activities. The members of the committee will arrive in this city tomorrow and begin their sessions. The public meeting to be held tomorrow night is expected to be the most important.

The meeting tomorrow evening will be presided over by Rev. Dr. J. T. Mastin, of Richmond, a member of the executive committee. Among the speakers will be Dr. William F. Snow, of the Social Hygiene Society.

The Gazette has been requested to invite the presidents of all local organizations—commercial civic, church, fraternal, or otherwise—to be present with two members of their respective organizations at seven o'clock at the Young People's Building, one hour before the meeting is scheduled to begin, for the purpose of organizing a local citizens' committee. This is an important step towards cooperation on the part of Alexandria with the state committee and is is hoped that local organizations will fall in line with the good work as they should.

Mrs. E. S. Leadbeater has returned from Red Banks, New Jersey.

Mrs. G. R. Chellhorn and Mrs. Louise Chellhorn are visiting Mrs. Joseph Dodd in Charlottesville.

Richard M. Green, administrator of the estate of Harry F. Wheat, has sold to William A. Moore, Jr., lot 7, in block 16, section 2, of Rosemont.

In connection with the regular weekly entertainment for the soldiers at the Lyceum tonight, a euchre party will be given. The public is invited to attend.

"The Way Gentiles Are Made Israelites" will be the subject of Evangelist F. E. Gibson tonight at the First Presbyterian Church. The services begin at 7:45. All are cordially invited.

Dr. S. B. Moore has left for Camp Lee, near Petersburg, Virginia. Dr. Moore has been commissioned in the medical reserve corps and will be one of the quota of medical officers attached to the camp for Virginia's conscripts.

A well attended meeting of the Board of Governors of the Lyceum was held last night, at which plans were made for the opening of the reading and pool rooms and gymnasium when the improvements will be completed, which will be in about two weeks.

A musical and literary entertainment complimentary to the sailors and soldiers in the neighborhood will be given at Christ Church Parish Hall this evening at eight o'clock. The old church will be open at the time and soldier guests are invited to visit the historic building. Members of the Emmanuel Bible Class will act as a reception committee.

The car load of exhibits which the United States Department of Agriculture has been preparing in this city for some time have been shipped to Hutchinson, Kans., where they will be displayed at the State fair to be held there during September. Professor F. Lamson Scribner, chief of office exhibits of the department, prepared the exhibit, being assisted by A. A. Ormsby, assistant chief. The exhibit is in charge of M. M. Kline, of this city, custodian. Mr. Kline expects to leave for New York city Saturday to take up the exhibit on exhibition at the offices of the Consolidated Gas Company there.

Plans have been formulated by the Braddock Chapter of the Alexandria Red Cross to conduct a roadside refreshment stand on the Russell Road near Braddock Chapel next Monday, September 3, Labor Day. The stand will be similar to that conducted in that vicinity on the Fourth of July, and will be conducted for the purpose of supplying passing automobilists with refreshments. Proceeds will go towards the purchasing of materials for the hospital garments which the Braddock branch of the Red Cross turns out in large numbers. The amount netted from the stand conducted July 4, as stated above, netted the Braddock Red Cross over sixty dollars.

Policeman J. Christopher Gill is visiting in Philadelphia during his annual vacation from duties.

Canning Fruits and Vegetables.

If you want the best grades at the lowest prices, call on Mrs. J. M. Pettit, 720 Pendleton street, near Washington street. You will find just what you want. Always a full stock. No heavy overhead expense. Being out of the high rent zone enables her to sell at a very close profit.

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To The Public.

I will not be responsible for debts made after August 26 only by myself.

J. RICHARD MUNSE.

205-3t.

Dr. C. E. Outcalt has returned from his vacation in West Virginia.

Miss Bertha Fishback, of Marshall, is visiting Mrs. G. W. Roop, at her home in Duke street.

A called meeting of the Columbia Steam Fire Engine Company will be held tonight at eight o'clock.

Catharine Bradley has sold to Mary J. Bradley a house and lot on the north side of Queen street, between Royal and Pitt.

Miss Laura E. Smoot, who has been the guest of friends at Ocean City, Md., is expected to return home in this city today.

The Fellowcraft and Master Mason's degrees will be conferred at the called communication to be held by Andrew Jackson Lodge this evening.

Robert Morris' birthday will be celebrated tomorrow, Friday, August 31, by Martha Washington Chapter, No. 42, Order of Eastern Star, with a picnic to be given at the residence of Mrs. Hohlman, in Luna Park, beginning at two o'clock p. m. Music and dancing will be enjoyed on the pavilion in the evening, beginning at seven o'clock. No admission will be charged. Refreshments will be served and everybody will be welcome.

The Alexandria Red Cross met this morning and donated the sum of $100 toward the fund that is being raised for the benefit of the Alexandria Light Infantry. On Tuesday morning next another meeting will be held for the purpose of taking action in regard to supplying the company with other needful things. It is hoped there may be a large attendance present at that time.

Pallbearers at the funeral of the late Thomas F. Jacobs, which took place yesterday afternoon, as stated in the Gazette, were Luther H. Thompson, John Corsa, and John Reed, of this city, and Messrs. Lear, Smith, and Frazer, of Washington. A delegation of members of Columbia Typographical Union, No. 101, of Washington, attended the services. The Rev. A. E. Spielman, pastor of Trinity Methodist Church, officiated.

The annual excursion of the Elks yesterday to Marshall Hall came up to the reputation set by former excursions of the local lodge of members of the antlered tribe and was a success from every standpoint. On every trip of the steamer Charles Macalester capacity crowds were taken down the river to the popular resort. One of the features of yesterday's affair was the prize competitive drill given in the afternoon by the Alexandria Light Infantry. The winner was William F. Boswell, supply sergeant of the company. Other events were staged during the day, and in the evening during the dancing the lucky number was drawn for the five dollar prize. The first coupon, for $5 in gold, was No. 2006. The second, for $2.50 in gold, was No. 647. The persons holding those numbers are requested to notify the chairman of the excursion committee, C. F. Johnson.

Alexandria City Schools

Permits to enter the city schools will be issued during the week beginning September 3rd, at Lee School building, commencing at 9 a. m. Permits for the High school, Lee school and Washington school will be issued Monday and Tuesday.

Permits for the West End school will be issued Wednesday at West End school building.

Permits for the colored children will be issued Thursday and Friday. Tax receipt must be presented before permit is issued.

204-6t. GILBERT J. COX, Clerk.

Masonic Notice—Important.

There will be a called communication of Andrew Jackson Lodge No. 120, A. F. and A. M., this week, Thursday evening, August 30, at 7:30 o'clock, for work. Fellow Craft and Master Mason's Degrees. This will be a very important communication and a full attendance on the part of the craft is earnestly urged. Our District Deputy Grand Master Timberman will be in attendance. By order, W. M.

James E. Alexander, Secretary.

205-3t.

AMERICANS PLAY PART

Destroyers Employ New Devices and Methods in Hunting Submersibles. Work in Pairs Over Wide Area.

New York, Aug. 30.—American destroyers in European waters have sunk or captured a great number of submarines, according to a London cable from a staff correspondent of the New York Tribune. He says.:

"From a friend aboard one of the American destroyers in these waters I have the first story of United States sailors chasing submarines.

"It is impossible to give details, but I can state that the Americans have bagged a number of U-boats, that the American navy has introduced several new features in the hunting of submarines, and that their system of protecting merchantmen has reduced losses materially.

"After several months' constant work, my friend believes that the submarines are most successful in the spring and fall, in the early morning and late evening, and in a choppy but not a rough sea. Most of the U-boats are working in pairs and reporting by wireless immediately after sinking a ship. Several huge wireless submarines are being used to provision the others at sea. They are still laying many mines, but depend largely upon getting a torpedo home.

"They are working over a wide area, but frequently concentrate on a secret source of information remains good. As the anti-submarine devices have improved, the U-boats have gone farther to sea except at night, when they slip in and plant mines. After several months of this work all the American sailors have the highest admiration for the work of the British navy.

"The Americans have brought in many new and some extremely valuable ideas, which all the allies are sharing.

"The American navy does not underestimate the seriousness of the submarine, but it believes it will be beaten eventually."

THE LATE MRS. ALLISON.

Tribute of Respect to Her Memory by Paper in Her Home Town.

The Wytheville Enterprise, in announcing the death of Mrs. Allison, wife of Rev. Dr. Jno. Lee Allison, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, of this city, said:

"A wave of sadness passed over Wytheville last week when it became known that Mrs. John Lee Allison, had passed away at the summer home in Wytheville after a brief illness with paralysis. She had only been sick a few days and was thought to be improving and the end came quite suddenly.

"Her many lovable traits of character drew around her a large circle of admiring friends who extend deepest sympathy to the bereaved relatives.

"The funeral service was held from the home. It was conducted by Rev. J. A. Gray, Rev. George L. Lambert and Rev. J. W. Rader. The interment followed at the East End cemetery.

"The active pallbearers were: Messrs. W. M. Martin, John Williams, F. H. Terry, D. A. St. Clair, F. E. Hagy and Robert Sayers. The honorary pallbearers were: Dr. John T. Graham, Mr. H. M. Heuser, Judge A. A. Campbell, Messrs. C. M. Trinkle, J. A. Whitman and Dr. J. E. Tarter.

"The flower bearers were: Misses Katie St. Clair, Josephine Wohlford, Alice Gleaves and Annie Tarter.

"The floral tributes were profuse and beautiful.

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Notice Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Arlington Brewing Company will be held at the office of the company, Rosslyn, Va., on Tuesday September 11, 1917, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly be brought before said meeting.

Arlington Brewing Company.

204-14t Abe King, Secretary.

A WOMAN'S CHARGES

Former Night Officer at Occoquan Arraigns Prison Heads on Various Counts.

Quickly following her dismissal as night officer of the District workhouse at Occoquan, Mrs. Virginia H. Bovee, giving her residence at 511 south Lee street, this city, yesterday filed sensational charges against William H. Whittaker, superintendent of the institution, and his administration.

The charges were made in an affidavit filed with the National Woman's party, following Mrs. Bovee's dismissal from the institution, because, she alleges, she was friendly to suffrage prisoners there.

Mrs. Bovee, in her affidavit sworn to before a notary public, declares that girl prisoners at the workhouse are beaten.

Superintendent Whittaker and his son, she declares, were the only ones who ever beat prisoners. No other officer of the institution had punitive powers.

Her first charge against the Occoquan management concerns the holding up of mail for the suffrage prisoners by Mrs. Herndon, the woman warden. Letters for prisoners, she declares, were frequently destroyed by the Occoquan authorities and mail for the suffragettes was held up until the completion of sentences.

She declares that the bedding for the common prisoners was changed only at long intervals and that this rule was not broken, even when a new prisoner took the bed occupied by a discharged prisoner.

Prisoners with communicable diseases are not isolated quickly enough, she says.

Mrs. Bovee declares the soap used by the prisoners was common to all. Every incoming prisoner was required to take a bath, and the same cake of soap was used as long as it lasted.

There were worms in the beans, hominy, rice, cornmeal, and other foods used at the institution, declares Mrs. Bovee. Additionally, she alleges that, although the penal farm has a fine herd of Holstein cattle, the prisoners get milk only on orders of the doctor.

At the same time the suffragettes said that Mrs. Abby Scott Baker, of the Woman's Party leaders, who visited Occoquan Tuesday, was preparing to file an affidavit of how she escaped the vigilance of Occoquan are beaten." When asked if guards Tuesday and broke away to investigate what she believed was the sound of clanking chains.

By running down the corridor, she declares, she came face to face with a man in chains.

Mr. Whittaker denies the charges made by Mrs. Bovee. Concerning the alleged beating of a girl prisoner he declared: "No prisoners at Occoquan are beaten." When asked if Mrs. Bovee was dismissed for her friendliness for the suffragettes, Mr. Whittaker said: "Dismissed for unsatisfactory service."

CADORNA FIGHTING ON.

Second Italian Army Reaches Out Beyond Monte Santo With Object of Taking Place.

London, Aug. 31.—Italy's victorious offensive reached its second and most important stage today. Having attained practical dominance of the Bainsizza plateau, General Cadorna's troops began a vast flanking movement northward.

Tolmino is the immediate objective of this drive. Front dispatches today indicated the Italian troops were forging ahead and had arrived almost before the preliminary line defenses of this Austrian city.

At the same time another Italian army reaches out beyond Monte Cucco for a coincidental drive eastward on the same city.

Rome cables told of further progress gained east on the plateau, toward the Chiapovano valley. It is through this gap that one of the main arteries of Austrian communication between the northern and southern armies—the latter guarding Trieste—is run. A victory there will be of vast strategic importance.

All dispatches today emphasized the ferocity of the fighting in the Bainsizza sector. The Austrians are offering desperate resistance.

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ALEXANDRIA'S OPPORTUNITY.

"There is a tide in the affairs of men, which taken at its flood, leads on to fortune." This old quotation, familiar to all, is particularly applicable to Alexandria, just at this time, for its applies equally as well to cities as to individuals.

Alexandria needs more people—the kind of people who work and earn money. It has vacant houses that should be occupied.

An opportunity is offered, by which both those needs may be supplied. Shall it be accepted?

A proper regard for the present as well as the future prosperity and welfare of the city demands that the answer be YES.

The Gazette wishes to heartily commend the splendid and unanimous spirit shown by the members of the Board of Aldermen and Common Council at their joint session last evening concerning the matter. The two boards very properly approved the proposition of the Washington Steel and Ordnance Company for the institution of a ferry service between Alexandria and Giesboro Point, the location of the plant of the company, and a committee was appointed to draw up the required papers which will be submitted at meetings of the two boards to be held in the near future.

The plan suggested by the company was published in yesterday's Gazette. The steel company asks the city to pay one-third of the operating expenses of the ferry steamer until it shall have received sufficient patronage to be self-sustaining. At first it will require an expenditure on the part of the city of twenty dollars a day, during which time at least two hundred workmen who, it is expected, will reside in Alexandria, will be transported to and from the company's plant. This number, it is confidently stated, will soon be increased to five hundred.

Mr. E. A. Lycett, employment manager of the company, made a plain succinct statement of the wishes of the corporation he represents, during which he said that the company had practically purchased a suitable steamer and is ready to pay two-thirds of the operating expense. He further said that the time had come when his corporation had need of Alexandria, where it was purposed to house many of their employees.

It has long been reported that the steel company years ago desired to locate their plant at Alexandria, and that the officials had their eyes fixed upon the north bank of Hunting Creek. Whether they had any serious intention of coming here at that time has been a matter of conjecture. At any rate, many of our people believed they did, and they were greatly disappointed when it was definitely learned that the plant was to be located at Geisboro Point. However, the overflow is now forcing its way to Alexandria, and it is the consensus of opinion that this is the tide in our affairs which should be taken at its flood.

WILSON'S ANSWER.

The thing that stands out foremost and above all others in the President't reply to the Pope is this:

We cannot talk peace with the Hohenzollerns and the criminal and deadly thing they represent in the autocratic system they have built up. They have sinned beyond forgiveness There is no moral health in them. To make peace treaties with them would be like trusting a man-eating tiger to live on milk, or a boa constrictor not to wrap his folds around a helpless victim. In the nature of things we cannot talk peace with the incarnate pirit of war, of conquest, of bloodlust.

The second thing that stands out in the President's reply is this: Although we cannot talk peace with the monstrous and menacing thing that has made itself master of Germany, we stand ready at any time to talk peace with the German people if they will cast out the legion of devils that has entered into possession of their government and will put forward representatives whom we can trust. This puts peace squarely up to the German people. They can have it for the asking. The question for them to decide is: Do they love Prussianism more than they love themselves—do they prefer a free and peaceful Germany to a Kaiserized Germany, a perpetual menace to themselves and the world? Can the Kniser keep this seed of reason and liberty from sprouting in the German mind?

Another point which is made plain is that our peace terms will exclude reprisals upon the German people and will include their "equal right to freedom and security and self-government and to a participation upon fair terms in th economic opportunities of the world." We shall not join in any scheme of revenge or in any form of international trade boycott, such as was proposed at the Paris conference of the Allies. There will be freedom of the land and of the seas for the new Germany. She will not need a middle-Europe to maintain her business and commerce.

As the Baltimore Sun says, Germany now knows the terms on which we will negotiate. We will hold no parley with the pirates of Prussianism. We are fighting for a peace that comes with the sanction and guarantees of Heaven; "not for a peace made in the malignant hades of Wilhelmstrasse by Prussian tyrants in the interest of war and for the benefit of war lords.

NOT SO HIGH AND MIGHTY.

Germany's submission to the demands of the Argentine Republic for indemnification of the sinking of its vessels and for the future safety of Argntine ships carrying non-contraband cargoes must be regarded as a decidely significant proceeding. Why after flouting the United States in a similar matter and persisting in a policy which drove this country into war, should the Kaiser's Government meekly bow the knee to a much less important nation and make concessions which it denied to us?

The Philadelphia Record says the reason for this change of face probably reflects the adoption of a less truculent attitude toward neutral nations. The more far-sighted German politicians doubtless recognize the fact that the war must end without victory for their arms. If their country is to retain any of its former great foreign trade it must have some friends abroad with whom it can deal. Previous to the declaration of war Germany did a very large business with South America, especially Brazil and Argentina, and it has viewed with consternation the prospect that this might be permanently lost to its enemies, especially to the United States. Considerations of thrift have therefore induced it to adopt a conciliatory tone toward the Argentine Republic. As an open enemy the latter country could not harm it, but the future commercial consequences might be most serious if South America generally should be in an unfriendly mood after the cessation of hostilities.

There is common sense in this attitude of the Kaiser's overnment. The wonder must be why such reflections did not influence it at the time its futile and stupid submarine policy forced the United States to grasp the sword in self-defense. It is not an unreasonable supposition that the growing certainty of defeat and the failure of its ruthless undersea warfare have combined to force the Kaiser to dismount from his high horse.

BEGINNING OF THE END.

According to an interpellation in the Reichstag, Germany is facing a serious shortage in men capable of performing military service. Herr Davidsohn declares that men who are receiving pensions for 50 per cent. or more of total disabilities, and cripples to whom supplementary pensions have been granted, are being compelled to take their place once more in the ranks. Hospital patients even are rushed back before their treatment is over.

As the Providence Journal observes, this is only one more bit of testimony in support of the general belief that Germany is very nearly at the apex of her man power, if she has not actually reached and passed it. The Allies report the constant capture of boys of 17 and 18, and, on the other hand, of men well within the years of middle age. Some of the Germans reverses lately on the west front have been attributed, in part at least, to the youth and inexperience of the troops on whom the brunt of Haig's advance fell.

Germany is straining every nerve. The fact long ago became a commonplace. It is a revelation in human ingenuity and endurance, but how long can it continue at the old degree of intensity and effectiveness?

SENDS AN AMBULANCE.

Fairfax County to be Represented on the Firing Line in France Through the Red Cross.

The Gazette is in receipt of the following communication from Fairfax county:

There being an opportunity to send an ambulance at once to the front, Mrs. North immediately made arrangements for the ambulance from Fairfax county to go with the ambulance unit leaving this week for France, with eighty V. M. I. boys and more than a hundred Washington and near by Virginia boys with it.

We had seven hundred and sixty dollars on hand, and the rest will surely come soon. We should not cease our efforts while our boys are at the front; and when the ambulance is paid for, let's get a motorcycle to go with it. The ambulance carries litters with which to take the wounded to a place of safety where they can be cared for, but it is the motor-cycle which carries the litter right up to the line of battle.

The unit which has our ambulance with it, is in command of Dr. J. Ryan Devereux of Washington, D. C., and he is now Major Devereux and is in charge of several units. The name plates on the ambulance were the gift of Mrs. North and Miss Elizabeth Leonhardt, and are in memory of Norman North, who lost his life during the Spanish war.

Old silver and jewelry has been asked for. but there have been only two to respond, so the money from any thing of that kind will be turned over to the ambulance fund. We should be very glad indeed that we are soon to be represented at the front in this humanitarian way. Gifts since the last report are from Mrs. Virginia Mostyn, Clifton Station, the result of an entertainment, $50; Mr. Arthur Burgess, $1.00; Mr. William Poole, $1.00; Forestville school children—the result of an ice cream sale, $19.20; Miss Elizabeth Leonhardt, $5.00; Mrs. C. M. Rippey, old jewelry; Miss Virginia Wrenn, old jewelry and $2.00. Send contributions at once to the treasurer, Rev. Earl N. Bergerstock, Herndon.

The inscription on the plates is: "Red Cross, Fairfax county, Virginia, U. S. A." If a motor-cycle is sent it will bear the same inscription.

GERARD UNMASKS PLANS.

German Ruler Proposed Invasion of Central America.

Much interest has been manifested in a chapter of former Ambassador Gerard's book, published yesterday in the Philadelphia Public Ledger, dealing with an intended ostracism of America by two European powers. and making the following accusation against Germany:

"Later I was informed by a man high in the German foreign office that Germany had proposed to England a joint intervention in Mexico, an invasion of which would have put an end forever to the Monroe doctrine, of course, to be followed by the forceful colonization of Central and South America by European powers. I was told that England refused. Facts regarding this proposition can be learned from the archives of the British foreign office.

"During this period of trouble with Mexico, the German press, almost without exception, and especially that part of it controlled by the government and by the conservatives, or junkers, was most bitter in its attitude toward America.

"The reason for this was the underlying hatred of an autocracy for a successful democracy, envy of the wealth, liberty, and commercial success of America, and a deep and strong resentment against the Monroe doctrine, which prevented Germany from using her powerful fleet and great military force to seize a foothold in the Western Hemisphere.

SOLDIER'S TRAGIC FATE

Mangled by Train as Word Comes Mother is Dying.

Baltimore, Aug. 30.—After having received a letter from his sister Tuesday saying that their mother in Newburg, N. Y., is not expected to live, George McConnell, a private in Company A, Tenth New York Infantry, was truck and killed by a passenger train of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad near Cella, yesterday.

McConnell was going off duty at the time and was on his way to breakfast at a boarding house not far from his guard station at Union Dam tunnel. He was 31 years old, and enlisted a year ago in Albany, N. Y.

DEL RAY AND ST. ELMO PERSONAL NEWS NOTES

Del Ray, Aug. 30.—Mr. William Peverill is confined to his home with tonsilitis.

Miss Mileey Zachary and Miss Catherine Zachary, of Del Ray, left today for a visit to Miss Lulu Tatwell, in Staunton, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. G. Shuster, of St. Elmo, are guests of relatives in Wilmington, Delaware.

Miss Evelyn Mallory, of Oxford quite ill at her home in Del Ray, is much improved.

On Tuesday night Mrs. George McCauley entertained friends informally at her home in Oxford Avenue, Del Ray.

Mr. L. A. Hopkins has returned from a two weeks' vacation, and resumed his duties in the Maintenance of Ways Department at Potomac Yards.

Miss Evelyn Mallory, of Oxford Avenue, Del Ray, has returned from a visit to Mrs. J. W. Crowder, in Charlestown, West Virginia.

OFFICIAL
Board of Aldermen.

At a called meeting of the Board of Aldermen of the city of Alexandria, Va., held August 29, 1917, there were present:

F. F. Marbury, esq., President, and Messrs, Anderson, Robinson, Ballenger, Harrison, Wilkins and Fitzgerald.

Mr. Bales, from the Common Council, appeared in the chamber and extended an invitation to the Aldermen to repair to the chamber of the Common Council and participate in a joint session for the purpose of considering a proposition of the Washington Steel and Ordnance Co., concerning the operation of a ferry line between Alexandria and the plant of the company at Geisboro Point. Upon their return the board adjourned.

F. F. MARBURY, President.
Teste: Luther H. Thompson, Clerk.

Joint Session of Board of Aldermen and Common Council.

At a called meeting of the Common Council of the city of Alexandria, Va., held August 29, 1917, there were present:

Howard W. Smith, esq., President, and Messrs. Evans, Kaufman, Wattles, Desmond, Bales, Pohl, Ballenger and Lawler. The President stated that the object of the meeting was to consider a proposition from the Washington Steel and Ordnance Company to establish a ferry from Alexandria to Giesboro Point, D. C.

Upon motion the Board of Aldermen convened in joint session, with Mr. Marbury in the chair.

Mr. Smith addressed the joint session and presented the following proposition from the Washington Steel and Ordinance Company:

The Honorable Members of the City Council, The Honorable Members of the Board of Aldermen, Alexandria, Va.

Sirs:—This company proposes to establish a Ferry for transporting employees between the city of Alexandria and the works at Giesboro Point, D. C.

The boat for this purpose can be procured and put in operation at once. and the company is prepared to purchase such a boat and make the necessary arrangements for its maintenance.

To give proper transportation to an additional number of men living in Alexandria who may become employees will call for a sum of money, estimated at $1,500 per month. This is for operation and running expenses. Until such time as the ferry is self supporting it is right and just that a portion of this expense is borne by the community which will benefit by this expenditure. This Company respectfully asks your honorable body to donate the sum of $500. per month, this sum to apply as one-third of the operating expense, until such time as the boat is self supporting, or for a period of twelve months.

Payments from you to begin when the number of fares between Alexandria and Giesboro Point reach 200 per day.

The Company will operate the Ferry subject to such delays as are beyond their control, and should they, at any time, be unable to employ 200 men living in Alexandria the City of Alexandria will then be relieved of their portion of the money for the running expenses.

This agreement to run one year, subject to renewal.

Respectfully submitted,
Washington Steel & Ordinance Company.
By Wm. Dalton, Gen. Mgr.

Mr. Edward A. Lycett, of the Washington Steel and Ordinance Company was granted the privilege of the floor and he explained the objects of the proposition. After remarks by several members the following committee was appointed to draft a suitable resolution: Messrs. Smith, Evans and W. W. Ballenger.

After recess the committee submitted the following report:

Whereas a proposal has been this day submitted to the city council of Alexandria, by the Washington Steel and Ordinance Company which said proposal is attached to and made a part of this resolution and which said proposal has for its obect the establishment and operation of a ferry for the purpose of connecting the said Steel Plant with the city of Alexandria in order that its employees may conveniently become residents and citizens of our city,

And whereas it is the purpose and desire of said city council to advance the interests of said city by increasing its population in all lawful and proper ways;

Therefore be it resolved that we favor and accept the said proposal submitted by the Washington Steel and Ordinance Company and pledge our support to the same, and

Be it further resolved that a special committee consisting of 3 members of Common Council and 2 members of Board of Aldermen be appointed to draft a proper resolution and submit the same to the respective boards for adoption.

H. W. SMITH, Chairman.

Upon motion the report was adopted. Ayes. Messrs Evans, Kaufman, Wattles, Desmond, Bales, Pohl, C. S. Ballenger, Lawler, Smith, Marbury, W. W. Ballenger, Robinson, Harrison, Wilkins, Fitzgerald, and Anderson—16. Noes—0. The President appointed the following committee: W. W. Ballenger, Moris Wilkins, Howard W. Smith, N. J. Lawler and J. W. Bales.

The joint session then dissolved and the Board adourned.

HOWARD W. SMITH, President.
Daniel R. Stansbury, C. C.

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Episode No. 10.
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Into play, in the—
Matter of mountings.—
Proper mounting and placing—
Of the print upon the mount,—
Is a fine art in itself,—
In that it completes—
The harmony of tonal quality—
As well as that of—
Light and shade.—
The effect of—
A beautiful print—
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VIRGINIA GHOST STORY.

Shade of Murdered Woman Haunts Boarding House.

Graham, Va., Aug. 30.—Great excitement prevails at Ennis, a mining town in the Pocahontas coal field, as a result of an alleged ghost making its appearance in one of the company houses during the early morning of last Friday. As the story goes, soon after midnight Friday morning the screams of a woman were heard in the house and the occupants, some eight or ten people, were awakened by it. Upon investigation, the voice of a "spirit" was heard and she gave her name as Smith and told her excited listeners that she had been murdered in that same house fourteen years ago by two negroes and one white man for her money, which amount the voice named as $143. "She" stated that she had come to Ennis to visit, giving the name of the family she was visiting. The returned spirit further is said to have made it known that she had a brother, Frank Smith, living in Columbus, Ohio. The entire town was awakened during the night and hundreds flocked to the place, where, it is claimed, many heard the strange voice and vouch for the genuineness of the story.

It is estimated that no fewer than three thousand people visited the haunted house during Saturday and Sunday. The voice again spoke Sunday morning at nine o'clock, the story goes, repeating the details of the tragedy.

DEFIES DANIELS' ORDER

Thompson Says Members of Navy League Will Not Be Kept Off Ships

New York, Aug. 30.—Defiance of the order of Secretary of the Navy Daniels, forbidding members of the Navy League admittance to any naval station, reservation or ship in the Navy, was contained in a statement issued here yesterday by Robert M. Thompson, president of the organization, who declared that "clearly Secretary Daniels does not mean what he says" in his "sweeping and drastic" order.

"Certainly the Navy League has not made the slightest reflection upon the integrity of Secretary Daniels or upon that of any naval officer," said Mr. Thompson in referring to the league's recent statement concerning the Mare Island Navy Yard investigation into the explosion there.

"I do not believe any statement made in the Navy League bulletin justifies the anger exhibited by Secretary Daniels," Mr. Thompson said. He mentioned a number of prominent persons in the league whom, he said, he could not believe the Secretary would deny the privilege of visiting naval ships and that he himself intended to be present next June at the Naval Academy at the fiftieth anniversary of his graduation.

COAL SHORTAGE IN AUSTRIA.

Luxurious Hotels to Be Closed; Miners Will Get More Rations.

Basle, Switzerland, Aug. 30.—Herr von Hamann, the Austrian minister of public works, startled the Austrian chamber of deputies Tuesday by giving it as his official opinion that the coal crisis had become a vital question for Austria-Hungary, according to Vienna advices. The situation, declared the minister, was one which must be faced without optimism and with the utmost seriousness.

In an effort to remedy matters, continued the minister, 12,600 miners have been brought back to the mines from the front, but during August the authorities had been unable to effect an increase in production because of the undernourishment of the workers and their consequent inability to work hard or put in long hours.

The failure of the men to achieve the desired result was due not to bad faith but to impotence, he pointed out, and they must be accorded extra rations even at the expense of other classes of the population.

The economic committee of the chamber introduced a bill creating a government monopoly of coal and authorizing the government to forbid the heating of all places of amusement except theaters and museums and to close luxurious hotels.

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REVENTLOW A DESERTER

Pan-German's Nephew Refuses to be "Militarist Against Civilization."

Paris, Aug. 30.—A dispatch to the Journal des Debats from Zurich gives the following details of the desertion of Count Rolf von Deventlow, a nephew of Count von Reventlow, the pan-German director of the Deutsche Tageszeitung, as made public in Zurich today:

"Count von Reventlow," says the correspondent, "who had been living for several years at Locarno, Switzerland, responded to the call to arms at the beginning of the war and was incorporated in a Baden regiment. His mother went to Berlin a month ago and obtained a two weeks' leave for her son, and he went with her to Lake Constance. A motorboat rented there carried mother and son across the lake to Swiss territory, pursued by the fire of the German post.

"Count von Reventlow in an interview here asserted that he has no intinction of returning to Germany to descend into a militarist against civilization."

PRAY FOR PEACE EFFORT.

Catholic Societies Send Message of Indorsement to Pope.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 30.—A cablegram offering "fervent prayer for happy success of your noble peace efforts" was sent to Pope Benedict by the American Feedration of Catholic Societies at the closing session of its convention here yesterday. The cablegram was signed by Archbishop Sebastian G. Messmer, of Milwaukee, and Bishop Thomas F. Lislis, of Kansas City.

The federation yesterday elected Thomas F. Flynn, of Chicago, president, to succeed John G. Whalen, of New York, who was not a candidate for re-election.

The choice of the next convention city was left to the executive board. Chicago, San Francisco, Philadelphia and St. Paul have extended invitations to the federation to meet there in 1918.

NO RAIN FOR 65 DAYS

Hundreds of Men Fight Fire in Western Montana.

Missoula, Mont., Aug. 30.—With an onrushing wall of flames menacing them from three sides, a force of several hundred men waged a desperate fight yesterday against the big forest fires in the vicinity of Lolo Hot Springs, Western Montana.

Black-fires have been started at various points, and trenches dug for many miles and forestry officials believed it would be possible to prevent a spread of the flames.

Three hundred men were fighting fires along Randolph creek.

District Forest Rutledge said that outside of the Lolo Hot Springs and Randolph creek fires, no new conflagrations had been reported. No rain has fallen for 65 days in Western Montana. Most of the fires, it was stated, are not of incendiary origin.

Owls and Hawks Killed.

Harrisonburg, Va., Aug. 30.—Rockingham county pays a bonus of 50 cents for every scalp of hawk and owl killed in the county. During the last year 645 scalps were turned in by hunters, who received $327. J. A. Pittington won first honors with 107 scalps, which netted him $53.50. It is said that there has been a great increase in partridges and other game birds since the war started on the hawk and owl.

DIES SHIELDING HONOR.

Young Woman Murdered by Man She Had Repulsed.

Atlantic City, Aug. 30.—Because she repulsed his advances, Augustus Caesar Covella, 42 year old, a kitchen employee at one of the beach front hotels, stabbed to death Bella Wilson, 32 years old, whom he had met a few minutes before at the employees' entrance of another beach-front hotel. The tragedy occurred in a small highway between Illinois and Indiana avenues, about 100 yards from the boardwalk.

The woman's screams brought Fireman Charles Foreman to the scene just as Covella ran from the passageway. Foreman caught the man on the boardwalk. He denies all knowledge of the affair and refuses to admit he knows the woman. When questioned, he pointed to Joshua Jones, colored, chair pusher, who reached the scene as Covella was brought back, as the man who did the stabbing. The crime caused intense excitement among hotel guests.

J. W. Wilkins, a waiter, declares he saw the couple stop and heard the woman say: "I won't go with you." He says Covella drew back his arm, and as the woman raised her arm, he lunged at her. When Wilkins reached her blood was spurting from her left breast. The weapon used was a potato knife. Covella has a wife and three children living in Rome, Italy. He is held on a charge of murder.

U-BOAT RAVAGE INCREASES

London, Aug. 30.—An increase in the number of British vessels sunk last week by mines or submarines is shown by the weekly Admiralty statement issued last night.

Eighteen vessels of more than 1,600 tons were sent to the bottom, as compared with 15 the previous week, and five vessels of less than 1,600 tons, as against three the previous week. No fishing vessels were sunk.

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LOOK TO NEXT YEAR

Garden Commission at Washington Sends Out Warning on Food Saving in United States.

Washington, Aug. 30.—"Peace or war, the world faces the biggest food crisis since man has been writing history" said Charles Lathrop Pack, of the National Emergency Food Garden Commission today, "It is not a question of today but one of tomorrow that we must answer," continued the man who has conducted a nation-wide food saving campaign in conjunction with the American Forestry Association of which he is president. The Commission which is affiliated with the Forestry Association is now offering $5,000 in prizes for the best canned vegetables grown in war gardens.

"With close to two million men under arms and a good prospect of having to help feed a big part of Europe what are we going to do," continued Mr. Pack." The Scientific American in its current issue calls it a war tragedy. In this article by H. C. Hardy is this paragraph which tells the whole story:

"Will the United States government permit a useless criminal sacrifice of food of labor of money and courage and patriotism from its people because of lack of appreciation of the need of speed when perishable food must be harvested and stored or allowed to rot and freeze?

"Now turn to the commerce reports just issued and you will find that Harry A. McBride, vice consul, at London, writing on the growing use of dried peas and beans, says: 'The scarcity of food supplies in Europe has resulted in an increased demand for many articles of food of this sort which had not been commonly used prior to the war.'

"Mr. McBride then goes on to show how the prices are jumping because of this demand. What are you going to do about it? The National Emergency Food Garden Commission is now sending out its second million of drying and canning manuals. They are free. Write for them and get busy. The Department of Agriculture has just issued a bulletin on saving seeds for next year. We are co-operating with them by sending out 100,000 of these in our mail. Get one and read it.

Thus time to act is now. Organize a canning club or join one. The experience will do you good and next year you may have to do it so learn now."

RELIEF STEAMER SUNK

Another Norwegian Ship Torpedoed; British Vessel Reported Lost.

London, Aug. 30.—The Norwegian steamer Kongsli from Saint Nasaire, France, for the United States has been sunk off the Spanish coast, according to a telegram received in Christiania.

Sinking by a German submarine of the Norwegian steamship Frigg 1,046 tons gross, is reported by the Norwegian foreign office. An Exchange Telegraph Company dispatch from Copenhagen says the crew was saved.

New York, Aug. 30.—The British steamship Assyria, a vessel of 6,370 tons gross register, under charter to the Conard Line, has been sunk by a German submarine, according to advices received here in insurance circles. Agents of the line said they had been informed the vessel was lost but they have no particulars as to the fate of the crew, or of the locality and date the ship was destroyed. The Assyria sailed from an American port for England the latter part of July.

Washington, Aug. 30—The Maritime Register reports the Norwegian steamer Kongsli as a Belgian relief ship. She measured 3,663 tons net and is reported last as arriving at Amsterdam on June 6. The Kongsli was attacked by a submarine last April. She was at first reported sunk but was able to reach a British port One fourth of her cargo of relief supplies was lost and the second mate was killed.

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NEWS OF THE DAY

Mgr. Thomas F. Kennedy, rector of the American College in Rome, is dead in that city after a long illness.

Reports that strong Japanese forces have been concentrated in Manchuria are given currency in Bavaria by the Neuste Nachrichten of Munich, which also speculates on the possibility of transporting such troops to the Russian front. If the railway facilities were the same as before the war, it says, such an operation would require a long time, but the situation has been changed greatly, Americans and Japanese having laid new tracks and made great improvements in the rolling stock.

A new form of German frightfulness adopted by the Austrians was reported to the Italian Embassy in Washington yesterday. Aeroplanes recently flew over the neighborhood of Brescia. After they had passed numbers of objects which resembled lead pencils were found. They exploded when an attempt was made to sharpen them. A small boy near Schio in the Brescla province was severely wounded in this manner. The archbishop of Brescia issued a warning to his flock to beware of the innocent-looking horrors

September 4, at 4 p. m., was yesterday decided upon as the time for the National Capital's parade and mammoth demonstration honoring the selective men of the District, following a meeting of the citizens' committee, at which it was further arranged to invite officers from al lied armies who are now in Washington to participate.

The Missouri Democratic State committee will be asked to meet and adopt resolutions requesting the resignations of United States Senators Reed and Stone because of their hostile attitude toward President Wilson, it was reported yesterday.

The foundry of the Schwartzkopf Torpedo Works in Berlin was destroyed by fire on Sunday. There are rumors that a considerable loss of life attended the conflagration.

Three hundred and fifty million dollars for torpedo boat destroyers to make the flotilla of the United States the greatest in the world, was approved by President Wilson yesterday.

The German Reichstag main committee held a brief session yesterday for further discussion of the administration of occupied territory. Its deliberations of the last two days have been of a highly confidential nature, and no report of the proceedings has been published. The committee will adjourn on Wednesday until the reconvening of the Reichstag, which will take place September 26.

Unusual weather for August is reported from many parts of Europe. London dispatches state that violent rain storms have visited the western countries, doing damages to corps. It has been unusually chilly in Paris since Sunday, and the weather is foggy and wet. In northern France and Belgium there have been heavy storms, followed by gales of wind. Hard rains were also reported from parts of Germany and Switzerland.

Upon a charge of the larceny of $18,700 from the Lloyd Royal Belgian Steamship Line, Daniel F. Leary, was arrested in New York yesterday. Leary is secretary-treasurer of A. W. Ducket and Company, urer of A. W. Duckett and Company. Indictments returned by the grand jury also implicate one of Leary's associates. The alleged larceny may reach $500,000, it was stated to members of the grand jury.

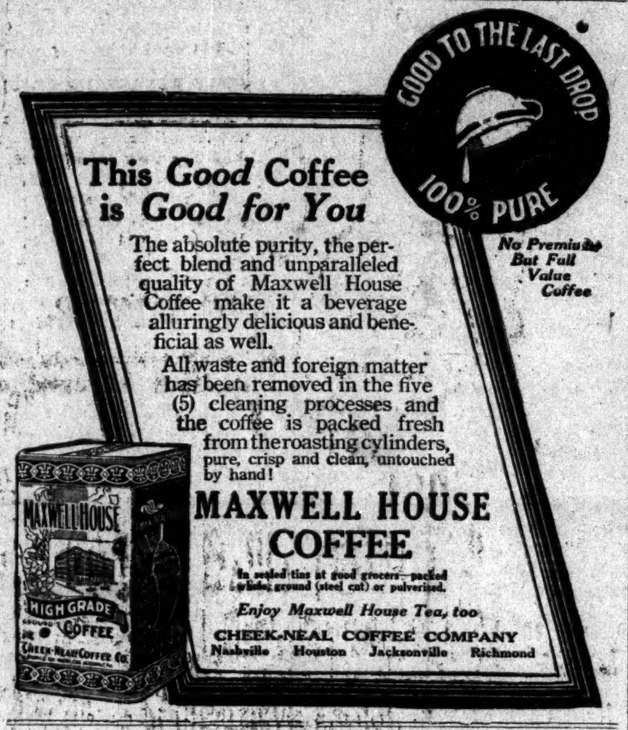
Little importance was attached yesterday by the State Department to the German promises to the Argentine Republic that she would restrict her submarine warfare against Argentine ships. "German promised us more than that," was Secretary Lansing's laconic comment. In some circles it was taken to mean that Germany was pursuing a deliberate policy of conciliation toward the South American neutrals.

Arthur F. Cummings and James F. Upstone, both of Nashua, N. H., yesterday filed a bill in equity in the United States district court at Boston asking for a receiver for the Royal Arcanum, on the alleged ground that its funds had been impaired by doubtful investments and the loss of a large number of members. The bill charges that the order has become hopelessly insolvent. This is the second receivership proceeding brought against the Royal Arcanum in recent months. On petition of Arthur M. Hobart, of Braintree, the district court appointed Thomas J. Boynton temporary receiver, but the order was revoked by the United States circuit court of appeals.

Authorities began search for vandals who on Tuesday night broke into Prospect Methodist Church in Minneapolis, Minn., tore down an American flag from over the altar, burned it and then left a note for the pastor the Rev. Thomas G. Cocks, threatening to destroy the building if he did not advocate peace in his sermons.

Serious rioting at Bjorneborg, Finland, is reported in a private telegram from Haparanda. It is said fighting between Finns and soldiers of the Russian garrison lasted for several hours, and that a number of persons were killed or wounded.

Following the announcement of negro soldiers of Ohio, in camp at Montgomery, Ala., that they expect to visit white picture shows and the Y. M. C. A. a committee of white and colored citizens called at the camp of the negroes yesterday and gave them to understand that the segregation of the races in the South would not permit even negro soldiers to mingle with white people. They were told by Victor Tlane, a prominent colored citizen, that the negroes at Montgomery have been working in harmony with the white people without mingling with them either in public or private affairs, and the negroes of Montgomery will resent any attempt at disorder or any violation of the "rules of the South," while negro troops are stationed at Montgomery.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SHOOTS SON'S WIFE.

Mrs. M. G. Gallimore is Wounded Twice at Norfolk.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 30.—With two bullets in her body, fired by her husband's father, Mrs. M. G. Gallimore, wife of Captain Gallimore, U. S. A., is in a local hospital. The shooting occurred at her home yesterday morning. Mrs. Gallimore went to a well to get a bucket of water, and her father-in-law came up behind her.

"Now, I've got you," she says he exclaimed as he fired two shots from a revolver. One bullet struck Mrs. Gallimore in the right thigh and the other in the left thigh.

Capt. Gallimore heard the report of the gun and his wife's screams, and hurried to her assistance in time to prevent his father from firing a third time. The elder Gallimore is said to have attempted to kill himself several years ago and it is believed his mind is unbalanced.

He was apparently devoted to his daughter-in-law until yesterday morning. Among neighbors who rushed to the scene when they heard the shots was a county officer, who arrested the elder Gallimore. He is now held at the Norfolk county jail at Portsmouth, where he declined to discuss the shooting. Mrs. Gallimore is the mother of a 2-year-old boy.

IRISH IN RIOT

Police Use Clubs on Sons of Freedom Holding Street Meeting in New York.

New York, Aug. 30.—Broadway was treated to a scene of wild rioting last night at a meeting at Thirty-fifth street. The police were forced to use their nightsticks to charge the unruly mob which surged back and forth for two blocks. The society has been holding street meetings protesting the espousal of Ireland's cause. There was a recruiting meeting at Thirty-seventh street and Broadway. This forced the Irishmen to move down two blocks. The crowd become unmanageable. They broke down the stand. Many were trampled in the battle with the police.

General Organizer Johnson, of the society, and Shaum Conway, John S. Moore and Margaret Curley, speakers, were arrested.

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By virtue of a deed of trust from Kate McDermott and others to the undersigned trustee, recorded in deed book 63, page 110 of the land records of Alexandria City, default having been made in the payment of the principal note thereby secured, and at the request of the holder of said note, I will offer for sale at public auction on Saturday, September first, 1917, at 12 o'clock noon in front of the Royal Street entrance to the Market Building the following property:—

1st. All that lot of ground improved by a brick dwelling house, situated in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, on the north side of Prince street between Henry and Fayette streets, and bounded as follows:—

Beginning on the north side of Prince Street at the end of 125 feet, 5 inches from the corner of Fayette Street, and at the center of said square; thence westwardly by and with Prince Street, and binding there on, twenty feet; thence northwardly and parallel to Fayette Street one hundred feet to a ten foot alley; thence eastwardly by and with said alley twenty feet, and thence by a straight line to the beginning, together with the use of said alley and rights and appurtenances to the said lot of ground belonging.

2nd. All that lot of ground with the buildings and improvements thereon, situated in the city of Alexandria, Virginia and known as No. 1109 Queen Street, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning on the north side of Queen Street, at the west line of Owen's lot, a point supposed to be 70 feet west of Henry Street; thence west on Queen Street, twenty feet more or less to Dogan's line; thence north one hundred feet; thence east twenty feet, more or less, to Owen's line, and thence south one hundred feet to the beginning.

Terms of sale CASH. Conveyancing at cost of purchaser or purchasers. A deposit of ten per cent. of purchase price will be required when property is knocked down.

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USE KNUCKLE KNIFE

American Soldiers Will Fight With Deadly Short Range Weapon.

It is said that a new and terrible short range weapon will be used by American soldiers in hand-to-hand fighting in France, and they will be trained with the weapon in the great cantonments located in Petersburg, Columbia, Augusta, Atlanta, Macon, Montgomery and other Southern cities. The weapon is known as the kunckle knife and is for close-up trench fighting. It has a framework resembling the old-fashioned brass knuckles, outlawed in practically all states, and built into this framework is a deadly knife about eight inches in length. The soldier can use the knuckle knife in connection with the bayonet. After parrying the thrust of an antagonist, which he turns with his rifle barrel, the soldier's right hand, still grasping his rifle butt, is thrust forward, plunging the knuckle knife into his antagonist's vitals.

DESERTERS AGAIN ESCAPE

Americans in Canadian Flying Corps Were In Roanoke.

Roanoke, Va., Aug. 30.—Roanoke faces the prospect of entertaining another royal British mission. Advices to the Police Department from Toronto announce that V. J. McAuliffe and Earl O. Slade, the two young Americans who visited Roanoke in July, alleging that they were on a secret mission for the British Government, have escaped the Dominion authorities and are headed back to the States

The two men were arrested here for obtaining goods under false pretense and later proved to be deserters from the Royal Canadian Flying Corps who had stolen an army automobile and crossed the international boundary. They were turned over to a Canadian army detail who came for them.

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To the Stockholders of the Howard Lumber Company, Inc.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Howard Lumber Company, incorporated, will be held at the principal office of the company, No. 111 S. Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Virginia, at 11:00 a. m. Tuesday, September 4, 1917, to elect Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

JAY P. FELT, Secretary.
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RAILROADS

SOUTHERN RAILWAY SYSTEM

N. B.—Following schedule figures published only as information. Not guaranteed.

Trains leave Union Station, Alexandria:

4:27 a. m., Daily—Memphis Special. Sleeping cars and coaches for Lynchburg, Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga, Nashville, Memphis, Washington sleeping cars open after 10:00 p. m. Dining car.

7:57 a. m., Daily—Local to Strasburg, connecting daily except Sunday at Strasburg with E and O train leaving there 1:00 p. m. for Harrisonburg. Operates through to Harrisonburg on Sunday. Buffet parlor car.

8:17 a. m., Daily—Local to stations between Manassas and Charlottesville and limited beyond to Atlanta. Coaches only.

9:17 a. m., Daily—U. S. fast mail. Coaches and sleeping cars to Charlotte, Atlanta, Birmingham, New Orleans. Sleeping car Salisbury to Asheville. Dining car.

2:02 p. m., Saturday only—Local to Harrisonburg. Buffet parlor car.

4:02 p. m., Daily except Saturday and Sunday—Local to Harrisonburg. Buffet parlor car.

4:22 p. m., Daily—Local to Charlottesville. Parlor car to Warrenton.

5:12 p. m., Daily—Birmingham Special. Coaches and sleeping cars to Atlanta and Birmingham. Dining car. Daily tourist car to California.

5:22 p. m., Daily except Sunday—Local for Warrenton.

7:17 p. m., Daily—Augusta Special. Coaches and sleeping cars to Charlotte, Columbia, Aiken and Augusta. Sleeping cars to Asheville. Dining car.

10:02 p. m., Daily—Washington & Chattanooga Limited. (Via Lynchburg). Coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga, New Orleans. Dining car.

11:02 p. m, Daily—New York & New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train. Club and Observation cars to Atlanta and New Orleans. Sleeping car to Macon. Dining car.

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Sunday and Holidays, same as above except trains at 5 00, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 10, 7 30, 7 50, and 8 10 A. M and 11 55 P. M.

Leave Alexandria For Mt. Vernon.

A M.---Week Days---5 35, 6 55, 7 35, 8 55, 10 30, 11 30.—P. M.—12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 30, 5 35, 6 40, 7 35, 8 32, 10 20, 11 50.

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Washington Southern Ry.

Schedule in effect July 2, 1917.

For Washington and points north daily 8:08, 8:23, 8:33, 10.38, 10:45 a. m. 12:01, 1:28, 2:30, (through train for New York, via P. R. R.) 5:14, 5.53, 8:23, 11:33 p. m.

Saturdays only, 4:45 p. m., and Sundays only 8:08 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4:37, 7:52 (local) and 9:47, a. m. 12:16, 3:22, 3:32, 5:17 (local) 7:02, 9:47 p. m. daily.

Accommodation for Quantico at 11:18 a. m. daily and 2:16 p. m. Saturdays. Night train leaves 11:30 p. m. daily for stations Lorton to Fredericksburg inclusive.

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